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## Appendix

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*From page 61* -- I saw FDR one other time. When I was at the Navy midshipman school at Harvard in 1944, I went out to Fenway Park to hear him. He spoke from a large platform at second base. The Republicans had been quoting his pre-Pearl Harbor pledge to keep us out of war which they said he had made "again, and again, and gain." FDR threw it right back at them. He said, after repeating their charge, that "In the same circumstances and under the same conditions, I would do the same thing (go to war after Pearl Harbor) 'again, and again, and again.'" It was almost as good as his Fala speech to the Teamsters.

*From page 311* -- I heard then Governor [Robert Kerr](#) give the keynote speech. He said the country "hardened under Harding; cooled with Coolidge; and hungered under Hoover."

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